

Proposed Senate Joint Resolution No. 18

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Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS

Introduced by: SEN. MCLACHLAN, 24th Dist.

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE CURRENT ELECTORAL COLLEGE SYSTEM AS THE BEST WAY TO ELECT THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

Resolved by this Assembly:

- 1 That the General Assembly recognizes the current electoral college
- 2 system as the best way to elect the President of the United States, that
- 3 the current electoral college system respects small states, rural areas
- 4 and the principle of federalism, and that furthermore, the state of
- 5 Connecticut should work to defeat any multi-state compact legislation
- 6 that would cause Connecticut's electoral votes to be awarded based on
- 7 the results of the national popular vote.

Statement of Purpose:

To firmly show support for the current form of the electoral college.